

THE REPUBLICAN.

CLEARFIELD, DEC. 4, 1854.

Notice to Subscribers.

The Post Masters of Clearfield County are duly authorized by us our agents, and their receipts for subscriptions as aforesaid will always be received.

RAIL-ROAD MEETING.

A Meeting of the friends of the Tyrone, Clearfield and Erie Railroad, will be held at Tyrone, Blair county, on Thursday the 11th of January, 1855. All persons friendly to the project are invited to attend.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The news from the seat of war in Europe, by the steamer Africa, is, that preparations were making, and that the assault was just about to be made upon Sebastopol. If the attempt to take this position by assault has been made as anticipated, we may expect to hear of an unprecedented sacrifice of human life. Several reasons combine to strengthen such impression. The allies are pretty well exhausted by disease, casualties, and incessant toil. The rigors of winter, and the dangers of a stormy coast are closing in, and their own self-preservation will give to their efforts the character of desperation, and if successful, add to the brightness of the laurels they may win. On the other hand, all classes of the citizens of Sebastopol are represented as enduring the utmost rigors of a siege—scarcity of water and provisions—surrounded with disease, and the streets filled with the dead and dying—while there seems to be manifested by their every movement the most dogged determination not to yield the position whilst there is a man left to strike a blow.

Accompanying the last news we have a very strong assurance that Austria and Prussia will unite with Russia. This we predicted months ago.

Many of the papers in different portions of the state have increased their terms. There is scarcely a paper in the state with the exception of our own, outside of the large cities, now published at the low rate of one dollar a year. The 5th volume of the Republican ends on the last of the present month, and the 6th volume commences on the 1st of January 1855, when it is altogether likely that we too, will be under the necessity of increasing the price of our paper. Publishing a paper at one dollar a year, and paying the exorbitant prices demanded for every necessary of life has proved to be rather an unprofitable business.

RAIL-ROAD MEETING.

A meeting of the Commissioners &c. of the Tyrone, Clearfield and Erie Rail-road, Company was held at the Cart house, in Clearfield, on the 25th of November, Hon. Richard Shaw, President in chair. It was on motion resolved that when this meeting adjourns, it adjourns to meet at Tyrone, Pa., on Thursday, January 11th, 1855, at 2 P.M. On motion G. R. Barrett, Dr. R. V. Wilson, and L. Jackson Crans were appointed a committee of correspondence and were authorized to have hand-bills and circulars printed and to attend to advertising. In motion J. M. Hale, Esq., of Philadelphia was authorized to have the report of E. Montgomery, Esq., of survey route, with map, printed. Jacob Beigh, John D. Stewart and Jas. McQue, Esq's., of Blair co., and A. K. Wrig, G. L. Reed, and Wm. Irvin, Esq.'s, of Clearfield co., were appointed committee to open books, and obtain subscription list.

RICHARD SAW, Pres't.

L. J. CRANS, Sec'y.

The above notice as erroneously published in our paper last week announcing that the meet would be held on the 4th of Jan. If our exchanges have published said date or referred to it, they will please to correct, stating that the meet will be held on Thursday the 11th of Jan.

STATEMENT OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between C. M. Graham and J. E. Watson, has been dissolved by mutual consent, having disposed of their interest to James B. Graham.

NEW AND CHEAP GOODS.

JAMES B. GRAHAM, having resided in the mercantile business at his old stand in Grahamson, to his old customers and the public generally, that he has just resolved at his stand in the above named place, a large and well selected assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, comprising almost every necessary article, and is now fully prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage. He respectfully invites those who may wish to purchase to call and examine his stock.

Grahamson, November 29, 1854.

DISOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between C. M. Graham and J. E. Watson, has been dissolved by mutual consent, having disposed of their interest to James B. Graham.

C. M. GRAHAM.

J. E. WATSON.

The business will hereafter be continued by Jas. B. Graham, no formerly, who will call all accounts due, and pay all debts contract'd by the former firm.

J. B. GRAHAM,
Grahamson, Nov. 22, 1854.

RICHARD SHAW, Pres't.

New and Cheap Goods.

RICHARD SHAW & SON, would respectfully inform the public that they have just resolved at their New Store, in the Borough of Clearfield, a large and well selected stock of Goods, suitable to the season—among which may be noted, Dry Goods in great variety; Clothing, Hardware, Quenware, Tinware, Groceries, Druggs, Bonnets, Hats, Cap, Boots and Shoes, &c.

They duly compete, and invite persons walking to purchase to call and examine their stock.

Clearfield, Nov. 22, 1854.—H.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Common Pleas of Clearfield County, to the writer of the incorporation of the M. Evangelical Lutheran Church.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made to a court by the congregation of said M. Evangelical Lutheran Church, for incorporation, of which all persons interested will take notice. By the Order
W. M. PORTER, Prelate.

Nov. 22, 1854.—H.

Estate of Robert Leonard, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Robert Leonard, late of Lawrence Co., deceased, have been granted to the subscriber. All persons doing business with said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAS. T. LEONARD, Administrator.

November 22, 1854.—H.

Estate of John B. Havering Deceased.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of John B. Havering, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons doing business with said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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GEORGE GROOST, Adm'r.

Glen Hope, Nov. 22, 1854.—H.

Estate of Solomon Kline, Deceased.

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JOH. L. CUTTLE, Executor.

Clearfield November 22, 1854.—H.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

TWO lots in the village of Kylartown, Morrisville, Clearfield co., have been a very neat frame dwelling house, and storehouse, with other outbuildings, and a few acres of land, for mercantile purposes, another house and lot well suited for a school—also, a farm of one hundred acres, forty acres, and under fence, situated near the river. All or part of said property will be sold to suit the buyers.

Mr. Alex. Irvin, of this place who was injured somewhat, but not dangerously.

TANNER AND CURIER.

JOHN MCPHERSON, announces that he still continues the tanner business at his old stand at the south end of Clearfield, and keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of Leather of all descriptions, including a splendid lot of Sole Leather, which he will sell cheap for cash, or exchange for lumber and hides.

Clearfield, November 22, 1854.—H.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

ADVERTISEMENTS are inserted in the Ro. publican, at one dollar per square, for the first three insertions, and two dollars for each additional insertion. Fourteen lines make a square. No advertisement inserted for less than a dollar. A liberal reduction made to those who advertise by the year.

We regret to learn that his Excellency Governor Bigler, is again lying sick at Harrisburg, Pa.

The U. S. Senator from this state is elected on the second Tuesday of Feb'y.

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

Dear Republican:—As the time for the meeting of Congress approaches, Washington begins to wear the appearance of a thronged and busy city. The great majority of public men in the United States generally make out to pay at least one visit to the federal metropolis every year. Some have business to bring there, others come in search of business—and not a few come without any particular business to bring them,—and as Uncle Sam's family is now quite extensive, and numbers a great many very great men, (at least in their own estimation) it may be readily imagined that the number of strangers here, and especially at the assembling of the National Legislature, is greater than at almost any other point.

The tightness of the money market has been severely felt here, and several dry goods men have been compelled to place cards upon their windows with the significant words "goods sold for cash only." The suspension of Selden, Witters & Co., Bankers, of this city, caused great excitement for a few days, and from present indications, will cause serious loss to hundreds of note holders and depositors, who entrusted their means in the hands of these men. They are said to be all rich, owning real estate far beyond the amount of their estate in this city, and the law will compel them to redeem their promises dollar for dollar. It may be so. But such has not been the history of bank failures generally. In any event, however, the speculation will be a good one, as their obligations are now being bought up at a heavy discount, and if it is with their own money—or rather that of other people's in their hands—it will be but carrying out the beauties of the system. The effect of all this has been materially to depress the price of real estate, and it is thought that the worst is not yet.

Congressmen are beginning to make their appearance, and next Monday will commence the Second Session of the 33d Congress. The President's message is looked for with much anxiety. The impression created by some of the New York papers, however, that it will be a blood and thunder message, as regards our foreign relations, and particularly in reference to Spain, will hardly be realized.—President Pierce once delivered an inaugural address. It was short, but contained a great deal on this subject, quite as much as it is necessary for him to say now. He will doubtless refer to this document, and leave the rest to the Representatives of the people. Our word for it, after the people shall have read the forthcoming message they will readily acknowledge that the administration of our national affairs is in safe hands and guided by wise heads. Yours *

LIBRARY MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Clearfield Library, in the room of Mr. C. G. Caldwell, Esq., on Saturday evening, the 11th instant, at 8 o'clock. The members of the library association, as well as all others finding an interest in the institution, are invited to attend. R. J. WALLACE, Librarian.

Clearfield, Nov. 4, 1854.

SHIPPING SALES.

By virtue of several writs of Execution issued by the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, in the Court house in Clearfield, Monday the 11th day of Dec. 1854, at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate:

All the right, title, interest and claim of Samuel Dugan of and in a certain tract of land situated in Morris township, Clearfield county, bounded on the east by Michaelin Creek, on the west by lands of himself, and bordering on the north by lands of his neighbor, and bordering on the south by lands of his son, John Dugan, containing about two hundred acres, more or less, being part of two larger estates, one of which is the estate of Lewis H. Dugan, deceased, and the other of his son, John Dugan, deceased.

The said tract of land is situated in the town of Morris, in the county of Clearfield, and contains about two hundred acres, more or less, being part of two larger estates, one of which is the estate of Lewis H. Dugan, deceased, and the other of his son, John Dugan, deceased.

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